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Applicant: Tomohisa Tenra
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Title: VACUUM HEAT INSULATOR, MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE SAME,

HOT-INSULATION COLD-INSULATION APPARATUS HAVING THE SAME,

AND HEAT INSULATION BOARD

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Examiner: Alexander S. Thomas

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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| Sir:        |   |                                       |
|             | Prior to further examination, please amend the abo  | ve-identified application as follows: |
|             | Amendments to the Specification begin on page   | of this paper.                        |
| $\boxtimes$ | Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page $\underline{2}$ of this paper. |                                       |
|             | <b>Amendments to the Drawings</b> begin on page attached replacement sheet(s).                                      | of this paper and include an          |
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| $\boxtimes$ | Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.  |                                       |